A Sharp Decline in the Stock Mar-

ket the Result:

After a Sagging Opening and a Rock Island, St. Paul, and the Atchisons bater Recovery the Session Closes
Off = Tobacco Securities Fairly
Strong-Missouri Pacific Boomed. Strong-Missouri Pacific Boomed.

NEW YORK, June 8.-The Stock Market this morning opened unfavorably, affected regain by the declines showing in the Lon-don market for American stocks, and its declining tendencies were further more or less logical continuations of the move-ment which prevailed throughout yesterday's dealings. Nothing of any particular significance bearing on the general market or particular stocks developed over

Expectations were common that the bank statement would make an indifferent showing, but that circumstance of itself did not appear to cut any particular figure in the early dealings. No further definite intelligence bearing upon the agricultural outlook was contained in this morning's news. Foreign houses, not-withstanding the declines shown in Amerthis market.

to the general tendency of the market in the early dealings, the American Tobacco stocks in the industrial quarter being par-ticularly strong, while Missouri Pacific in the railway list showed an opening advance of nearly one point.

It was reported that the Gould interests had arrived at an agreement with the Pennsylvania Railread, by which the projected extension of the Wabash into Pittsburg will not be made.

The strength of American Tobacco was

founded on the better understanding of the arrangement by which the common stock will be refunded into the 4 per cent bonds of the Consolidated Tobacco Com-pany on the basis of \$10,000 in stock for

Apart from the Tobacco stocks little was done among the industrials, and the was done among the industrials, and the United States Steel issues continued rather reactionary. Sugar Refining was dealt, in slightly below last night's final Bank of Washington...

were Union Pacific and Southern Pacific, both of which were weak. The trading was fairly active and well distributed, and after the early dealings a somewhat firm-er tone developed. Little commission busier tone developed. Little commission ousliness was apparent, but the professional element was evidently disposed to cover short contracts put out early in the week. The bank statement was a surprisingly poor showing, and as a result a sharp decline set in soon after the figures appeared. Prices dropped rapidly from one to three points all over the list.

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	pen.	High.	Low.	Clos.
Amalgamated Copper Amer. Car & Foundry Amer. C. & F., pfd American Sugar American Tobacco	30% 85% 144% 144	30% 85% 144% 144	29¾ 85 143% 142¼	122 30 85 143% 142%
Atchison	208 96	10834 9634	851/4 1021/4 108 96	8634 102% 10834 9634
Brooklyn Rapid Transit Chesapeake & Ohio C., M. & St. Paul Chi., R. I. & Pacific	50½ 167½ 171½	50½ 169¼ 171½	166 168%	89 50 1663 169
Chicago & G. Western Colorado Fuel & Iron Consolidated Gas Continental Tobacco	101 2211/4 71	7128		23% 101 221 70
Continental Tob. pfd Erie Erie 1st pfd	431/2	7154	43 70	1225 435 79
General Electric	110%	144 %		246% 143 109% 1-1%
Mankattan Elevated Missouri Pacific M., K. & T., pfd	116% 64%	64%	631/2	633
New York Central. N. Y., O. & Western. Northern Pacific, pfd. Pacific Mail. Pennsynania Railroad. People's Gas.	38 98% 44 151:4	381/ ₆ 98%	37 98% 43% 150	156 37% 98% 43% 150% 115%
Reading firsts, pfd Southern Pacific Southern Railway Southern Railway, pfd	591/4 34 861/4	34 ½ 80 %	33%	78 58% 35% 86%
Texas Pacific	108 ta 90	10954 50		48% 58% 107 90
U. S. Leather	14 1/8 70 1/4 20 78 50	70% 20% 50%	20% 48%	14 79% 20% 48%
U. S. Steel, pfd	98% 42% 94	- 4478		98 93% 94%
Manager of the westlesion		+ i		+100

None of the preliminary estimates of the the real showing. Many financial authorities said that there would be a small loss of cash. Others looked for a small gain. No one expected any important change in the loan account and it was generally believed that the statement would be an unwhen they appeared showed a loss of cash loans of \$21,000,000, resulting in a loss in reserves of nearly \$8,000,000 which very nearly cuts the surplus reserve in two. The statement in detalls was as follows:

Reserves decreased, \$7,911,556; specie de ereased, \$2,160,300; legals decreased, \$821,creased, \$19,720,600; circulation decreased,

The market during the early part of the session was unimportant, with a rather weak opening, a recovery in many instances later, and business both on the decline and recovery dull. When the bank statement appeared it caused the first really interesting movement of the entire week. A great many people seemed anxious to sell out at once. The bears, who had been waiting for such an opportunity, began to hammer prices. No support was given for a time. The result was a sharp drop all over the list to the lowest prices for several days in most instances: At the close there was a litle raily again, but the losses of the break were not nearly recov-

Aside from the bank statement there was little in the news. It is said on good authority that the Vanderbilts will see the Toledo, St. Louis and Western. Other suggestions and gossip regarding the harmony plan are without especial novelty. Mr. Sage is quoted as denving that the Mr. Sage is quoted as denying that the Illinois Central has bought out the Iowa Central. It is semi-officially denied that there will be any dividend for the present on Southern Pacific.

Missouri Pacific was the strong feature of the railway list. In a short time it advanced well above 118. After the bank statement appeared the early gain was lost almost entirely. The boom in the stock may be attributed probably to the statement made in good quarters that there will be a dividend of 1½ per cent deciared on the stock within a few days.

On, and was fined \$50. In default he will serve on, and was fined \$50. In default he will serve on, and was fined \$50. Gossip regarding the Gould plans in the great harmony scheme is also bullish, volver in his pocket.

though it is now said very positively that the family has given up the Wabash and will not build to Pittsburg.

Louisville and Nashville was strong at first on the reiteration of the talk of a first cent dividend for the stock. No further net gain was made, however, and before the close the stock had gone off a point or more.

The Tobacco securities had a sharp advance at the opening, but after the bank statement went off badly. The boom in the stocks is manipulative to a great ex-tent, it is believed by careful people.

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... 7.97 8.00 7.95 7.95 ... 7.97 8.02 7.95 7.97 New York Cotton Market. Open. High. Low.

Too Large to Be Moved.

iessee Avenue, between East Capitol and B Streets northeast, be transplanted nearer to the curb when the sidewalk is extended into said street. Trueman Lanhan fter considering the request, has report

that the tast side of the avenue. He states that the trees are about twelve inches in diameter, much too large to be transplanted. He recommends that the request be not granted, which the Commissioners have approved. Contractor's Time Extended. The Commissioners have granted the request of Warren F. Brenizer for an ex tension of thirty days' time in which to complete the work of grading Cathedra Avenue, under his contract with the Dis trict. The action of the Commissioners was based upon reports received from the Engineer Department that the reques was reasonable.

Commissioner Macfarland has forward ed to his colleagues a motion that the Au ditor, the Secretary to the Board and the Superintendent of Property of the En

Colored High School Alumni, The final meeting of the present school year the Alumni Association of the Colored Hig byterian Church this evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be a brief address by Bettie G. Francis; music by Marie James, Lavinia Haywood, and Stanton Wormley, and recitations by Nathaniel Guy.

Had a Revolver in His Pocket. James Mason, colored, pleaded guilty in the

THROWN TO THE GROUND: An Old Man Hurt While Trying to

Board a Car. Thomas Allen, seventy years old, whose home is on the Berry farm, near Ana-costia, was thrown to the ground about 7:30 o'clock this morning, while attemptng to board Washington Traction car . 322 at the corner of Second and E

Streets southeast. y J. H. Ashton and J. C. Schillings, the nductor and motorman of the car, re pectively. It was learned at the hospital that Allen had only received several slight cuts and bruises. After they were dressed he left the hospital.

DISTRICT GUARD OFFICERS. Four Appointments Made by the President Today.

The following appointments of officers by the President today: James Madison Pickens to be adjutant ith the rank of first lieutenant, Sixth

Early D. Yoder, to be first lieutenant, empany B, Second Battalion. Charles Livingston Snell, to be second leutenant, Company B, Second Battalion. Albert Bertram Weir, to be second lieu-tenant, Company B, Fifth Battalion.

TO LAY THE CORNERSTONE. Impressive Ceremony at the New Sa.

ered Heart Church Tomorrow, The cornerstone of the Church of the orthwest, will be laid tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock, with ceremonies appro-priate to the occasion. The exercises will be in charge of the Knights of Columbus, and every council in the city will be rep-resented. Cardinal Martinelli will officiate, and Dr. Conaty, rector of the Catho-lic University, will deliver the sermon. The Rev. John D. Whitney, S. J., and the Rev. L. F. M. Dumont will act as assistants to the Cardinal.

A mounted escort of 100 Knights of Col umbus will escort Cardinal Martinelli to the site from Fourteenth and Yale Streets. The body will be headed by the Gonzaga College Band. The programme is an elaborate one, embracing songs, prayer the laying of the correstone, the sermon

TROLLEY BAGGAGE CARS.

A New Delivery System to Be Intro-

duced in New York. NEW YORK, June 8.—Henry Sanderson, President of the New York Electric Vehicle and Transportation Company, has announced that a new parcel delivery system will soon be effected by the installation of electric trolley baggage cars which will be run over the lines of the Metropolitan Street Railway, in Manhat-tan and the Bronx. In the course of time the baggage cars will probably run over the bridge and into Brooklyn and Queens

Arrangements were completed yesterday by which the transportation company ob-tained control of the recently organized Metropolitan Express Company. This company has a contract with the Metropolitan Street Railway Company to carry express cars over the trolley lines under onditions which shall not interfere with the regular passenger car service. Ex-press cars will be run over the lower aveues at night at a time when the various horoughfares are not congested with

A quick system of delivery of parcels from the railroad depots, department stores, and other heavy sources of supstores, and other neavy sources of supply will be devised as soon as the proper connections can be established. Mr. Sanderson said today that already ten express cars were ready to run over the trolley lines, but that they would not be installed until the organization of the new system was perfected.

Injured by a Cart Upsetting.

William Simpson, colored, twenty-three year d, of 1814 L Street northwest, was injured abou s right side about 10:30 o'clock this morning the upsetting of a cart with which he was uling dirt from a cellar excavation at the cor-

Spent His Money for Liquor. Edward Lansdale, a veteran of the civil was was in the Police Court today charged with ragrancy. It was alleged that he was drunk very

An American Injured Abroad. LONDON, June 8.-A despatch to the Central News from Vienna says that ack Morris, of New York, the treasure the Barnum & Bailey circus, fell from railway carriage, between Budwels and Vellescin, Austria, today, and was se

ously injured. He was taken to a h pital at Budweis.

Declared the Charge False. William Smallwood, colored, was arrested on the charge of stealing a berry crate from Loui ennell, at the Centre Market yesterday. In the vill spend thirty days in jail, because he of pay.

Admitted Stealing the Harness John Thomas, alias Mack, was arraigned in th olen a set of harness from Edward A. Dickin n. The harness was valued at \$10 and Thoma

Charged With Stealing Money. Charles Wheeler, colored, charged with house reaking in the night, was held in \$300 bond by udge Scott in the Police Court today to awai he action of the grand jury. It was said Wheele

atered the home of George A. Fisher and car-ed away a pocketbook containing §4.

Marriage Licenses Issued. ses were issued today to: Ralpl Walker and Effie Tolson; Charles H. Vossel and Maggie C. Lynch, both of Baltimore, Md.; Will iam Scott and Laura Tillman; Clinton De W. edman and Emma L. Baesser; Charles F. Reilly ston, Mass., and Margaret Christhilt, Jamaic

Charged With Stealing Chickens. Wesley Carter, colored, was in the Police Cour the allegation and in default of \$10 will rve thirty days in fail.

Upsetting the Theory.

(Frem What to Eat.) "Oh, my dear daughter, you should not be frightened and run from the goat. Don't you know you are a Christian Scientist?"
"But, mamma," excitedly exclaimed the little girl of six, "the billy goat doesn't know it."

A Definition. (From Puck.)

Little Elmer—Papa, what is spring fever?

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Attendant—Oh, the man who walks on swords ran a splinter in his foot. (From the Chicago Tribune.)
rdson—I am told you have been talking
me behind my back.

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(From the Ohio State Journal.) Circus Manager-What's all that row in the dressing-room? Attendant-Oh, the man who walks barefoot

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"On her promise that the day would be fine I have invariably worn light clothes and left my umbrella at home, and I have never found that I had use for it. A shower may fall during the day, but the sun always comes out after it, and that is the nearest my wife has ever missed truthfully forecasting the weather. but she was never able to tell what the weather would be except for twelve hours, and she would never risk her reputation by making predictions for longer than that. And her predictions were always for the day only, and never for the night, and often when we went out at night we were caught unprepared by rain. On these occasions I frequently twitted my wife with being a false prophet, or rather, a had one, but I could never get her to venture a prediction on the weather at night.

"All these years the matter had been

never get her to venture a prediction on the weather at night.

"All these years 'the matter had been i great mystery to me, and I was never table to fathom it, but a few days ago she explained how she was able to so closely cell what the weather would be during the day, and her explanation of the mat-er was so simple that I wondered why he solution of what I thought a mystery, or the possession of second sight on my wife's part had never occurred to make

wife's part had never occurred to me before.

"Like many other women, my wife's
nair is not curly, and like many other women she puts it up in curl papers, or kids,
when she retires at night and brushes it
att curly in the morning. When her hair
merges from the curl papers, damp, dark,
man sticky and heavy, she knows there
will be rain and plenty of it before night.
When it is a trifle damp she knows there
will be showers or some rainfall, but not
a real rainy day, and when she brushes
sut her hair and it is dry, light, and fluffy
the knows to a certainty that the day will
be a fine one, and then she makes her
redelitions with great assurance and
arnestness, and I have seldom found her
vrong. I suppose other men's wives can
ell in advance the weather by their hair,
out my wife's hair is better for the
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